

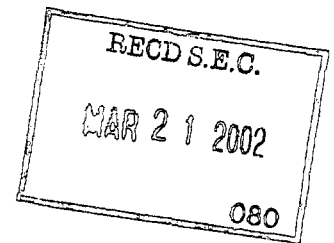


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FORM 6-K
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

REPORT OF FOREIGN ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a - 16 OR 15d -16 OF
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

FOR 21 MARCH 2002

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FINANCIAL**IMPERIAL CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES PLC**

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INDICATE BY CHECK MARK WHETHER THE REGISTRANT FILES OR WILL FILE
ANNUAL REPORTS UNDER COVER OF FORM 20-F OR FORM 40-F

FORM 20-F X FORM 40-F _____

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THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM IS ALSO THEREBY
FURNISHING THE INFORMATION TO THE COMMISSION PURSUANT TO RULE
12g3-2(b) UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934.

YES _____ NO X

IF "YES" IS MARKED, INDICATE BELOW THE FILE NUMBER ASSIGNED TO THE
REGISTRANT IN CONNECTION WITH RULE 12g3-2(b)): 82-_____

This report on Form 6-K shall be deemed to be filed and incorporated by
reference in the registration statement on Form F-3 (File No. 333-82114) of
Imperial Chemical Industries PLC and to be a part of thereof from the date on
which this report is furnished, to the extent not superceded by documents or
reports subsequently filed or furnished.

The following information has been given to The Stock Exchange, London and is furnished pursuant to General Instruction B to the General Instructions to FORM 6-K.

IMPERIAL CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES PLC

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Item

1. Press Release of Imperial Chemical Industries plc dated March 21, 2002.
2. Press Release of Imperial Chemical Industries plc dated March 21, 2002.

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90.85 PER CENT ACCEPTANCE OF RIGHTS ISSUE

The Company announces that by 9.30 a.m. on 20 March 2002, the latest time and date for acceptance and payment in full for new ICI Shares under the terms of the Rights Issue announced on 4 February 2002, valid acceptances were received in respect of 420,823,979 new ICI Shares, representing approximately 90.85 per cent. of the new ICI Shares offered by way of rights at 180 pence per share. Therefore, the Underwriters will be seeking subscribers for the remaining 42,367,823 new ICI Shares.

This press announcement does not constitute an offer of securities for sale.

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successful placement of rights issue rump - 3.1 times subscribed

Following the announcement earlier today that under the terms of the Rights Issue announced on 4 February 2002, valid acceptances had been received in respect of 420,823,979 new ICI Shares, the Company now announces that subscribers have today been procured for the 42,367,823 new ICI Shares for which valid acceptances were not received, at a price of 316 pence per share. Interest in these shares was 3.1 times subscribed.

The net proceeds, after deduction of the Rights Issue Price of 180 pence and the expenses of procuring subscribers, will be paid pro rata to the persons whose rights have lapsed in accordance with the terms of the offer.

Accordingly, sub-underwriters will not be required to subscribe for any new ICI Shares.

Lord Trotman, Chairman of ICI, commented:

"I am very pleased with the support for and success of the Rights Issue. The proceeds from the Rights Issue have strengthened ICI's balance sheet and the credit rating agencies confirmed the stable BBB/Baa2 ratings in February. ICI now has a stronger platform to achieve future growth from its portfolio of high quality businesses."

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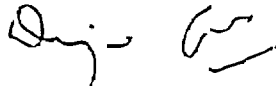
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PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT 1934, THE REGISTRANT HAS DULY CAUSED THIS REPORT TO BE SIGNED ON ITS BEHALF BY THE UNDERSIGNED, THEREUNTO DULY AUTHORIZED.

IMPERIAL CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES PLC
(REGISTRANT)

BY:



(NAME: DEBJANI JASH)
(TITLE: COMPANY SECRETARY)

DATE: 21 MARCH 2002